

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

A dielectric recording medium in a disc form is provided with:
a center hole; an inner area; a recording area; and an outer area,
5 arranged concentrically from the inside in this order. The inner
area, the recording area, and the outer area contain a uniform and
flat dielectric material and are polarized with the polarization
direction of the recording area opposite to that of the inner area and
the outer area in their initial condition. The recording area in
10 which data is recorded has tracks and spaces, each of which is
between two of the tracks, and is provided with areas in which
control information about the recording / reproducing is recorded, in
the track and the space.